

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace paragraph 0067 beginning at Page 19, line 11 with the following correspondingly numbered rewritten paragraph:

[0067] In this example said path is linear and comprises a directional vector, the origin which is defined by the x, y and z co-ordinates of the object selected at step 903 and the extremity of which is defined by the x, y and z co-ordinates of said object subsequent to image editor 101 dragging said object 614 to position 709, for instance with using cursor 803 in a "click and drag" configuration, which is well known to those skilled in the art. However, alternative paths include a spline-based curve, for instance to impart a "bobbing" motion to first spaceship 614, or a function, for instance the tracking function disclosed in United States Patent No. 5,786,824 referenced above, wherein said function itself generates a linear or spline-based movement vector. A further alternative path is no movement at all, that is the x, y and z co-ordinates are equal for any time value. This might be appropriate if ship 707 were already stationary, in which case player 704 would not require tracking. The path configuration input at step 904 is subsequently stored at step 905 as three-dimensional locations ~~510~~ 513 specifically for the object selected at step 903. The skilled reader will understand that there are many ways of generating or defining movement paths, including any explicit, implicit or parametric continuous

or non-continuous function or even a simple table of values. Any method that produces a three-dimensional position in response to an input of a frame number would be suitable herein.

Please replace paragraph 0069 beginning at Page 20, line 16 with the following corresponding numbered rewritten paragraph:

[0069] A question is subsequently asked at step 908 as to whether motion data, comprising a path and a shutter length, should be defined for another object in scene 710. If the question asked at step 908 is answered in the affirmative control is returned to step ~~902~~ 903, whereby said next object may be selected and its motion data defined and stored. Alternatively, if the question of step 906 is answered in the negative then step 405 is concluded.

Please replace paragraph 0076 beginning at Page 22, line 26 with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0076] Figure ~~8A~~ 10A shows three frames of a clip of frames that could be produced by a prior art system, or by the system described herein by specifying no motion blurring. For the purposes of clarity, only three output image frames 1011, 1012 and 1013 are shown from an output clip including potentially hundreds or even thousands of image frames.

Please replace paragraph 0077 beginning at Page 23, line 6 with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0077] For each frame the position of each object, as specified by its motion path, is calculated and the scene ~~as~~ is viewed through rendering window 703. The time taken is counted in frames, and so for each frame the frame number is input into the motion path vector, function or table for each object. This gives a three-dimensional position for each object. As shown, spaceship 614 moves more quickly than spaceship 617. Although ship 707 is shown as stationary the position of player 704 changes each frame according to the tracking function. This compensates for the movement of ship 707 within the player 704.